

CLAIMS

1. A sealing cover, particularly for bottles for beverages, comprising  
  
a sealing element (10) for sealing an outlet opening (60) of a container,  
  
a safety element (18) adapted to be displaced relative to the sealing element from a closed position into an opening position,  
  
an indicating means (34) connected with the sealing element (10) and/or the safety element (18), for indicating the opening position,  
  
an actuating means (32) connected with the safety element (18) and/or the sealing element (10), for actuating the indicating means (34) upon displacing the safety element (18), and  
  
a release means (24,26,28,70) connected with the sealing element (10) and the safety element (18), for permitting the rotation of the sealing element (10),  
  
the indicating means (34) being arranged at an outside (74) of the sealing element (10) or the safety element (18) and the position of the indicating means (34) changing such in the opening position with respect to the closed position that it is tangible.
2. The sealing cover according to claim 1, characterized in that the actuating means (32) has a ramp-shaped configuration so that the indicating means (34) is pressed outward when the safety element (18) and the sealing element (10) are displaced relative to each other.

3. The sealing cover according to claim 1 or 2, characterized in that the indicating means (34) is connected with the safety element (18) or the sealing element (10) via a web (88).
4. The sealing cover according to one of claims 1 - 3, characterized in that the safety element (18) surrounds the sealing element (10) at least partially.
5. The sealing cover according to one of claims 1 - 4, characterized in that the safety element (18) is annular or cap-shaped.
6. The sealing cover according to one of claims 1 - 5, characterized in that the release means comprises catch elements (72) to interconnect the safety element (18) and the sealing element (10) for co-rotation.
7. The sealing cover according to one of claims 1 - 6, characterized by a pressure compensation means (40,44) for reducing the pressure in the container upon opening.
8. The sealing cover according to claim 7, characterized in that the pressure compensation means (40,44) comprises a cutting element (44) for removing a closing part (40) closing a pressure compensation opening (86) in the sealing element (10).
9. The sealing cover according to claim 7 or 8, characterized in that the pressure compensation means (40,44) is arranged within a storage room (38) for storing the separated closing part (40).
10. The sealing cover according to one of claims 1 - 9, characterized by a sealing ring (50) arranged in a groove (48) of the sealing element (10).

11. The sealing cover according to claim 10, characterized in that the sealing ring (50) is arranged between an inside wall (56) of the outlet opening (60) of the container and a groove wall (58) and contacts them when the sealing cover is screwed on.